

Duplicate and  
idle machinery.

*Whereas*, Greenville and other towns within Pitt County for the primary purpose of supplying its citizens, homes therein, and general needs, adequate at all times, electric current, own and operate large electric current producing plants which necessitate stand-by or duplicate machinery and equipment seldom used more than four hours out of the twenty-four, to-wit, between the hours of six and ten o'clock P. M., thus causing much of such equipment, under present conditions, to be idle approximately twenty hours out of each twenty-four; and

Central distri-  
bution advisable.

*Whereas*, the general development of homes and farms within Pitt County can be materially promoted by the use of electric current of said town, which may be produced and distributed without loss or burden on such town, mainly during the twenty hours out of each twenty-four when surpluses thereof do exist and the machinery for the production thereof is mostly idle; that such promotion of welfare will be materially beneficial to such towns and Pitt County generally; *Now, Therefore*,

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

Greenville Elec-  
tric Service Dis-  
trict created.

SECTION 1. That there is hereby established Greenville Electric Service District as an amendment to the charter of the Town of Greenville.

Boundaries of  
District same as  
those of Pitt  
County.

SEC. 2. That the boundaries of Greenville Electric Service District are hereby established and are as follows: to-wit, the boundaries of Pitt County as the same exist on this day in detail as specifically as if the boundaries of Pitt County were herein copied.

Towns in County  
authorized to  
maintain trans-  
mission lines  
and operate  
same outside of  
town limits.

SEC. 3. That the City of Greenville and other towns within the boundaries of Greenville Electric Service District, through their respective agencies, are hereby permitted, authorized and empowered in the exercise of their discretion, expressed by proper resolution, to build and maintain efficient lines and auxiliaries thereto for the transmission of electric current and operate the same beyond the corporate limits of Greenville and other towns within the boundaries of said district and any other adjoining counties, for the purpose of transmitting and selling electric current throughout Pitt County and any other adjoining counties for the primary purpose of promoting the development of homes and farms and the general welfare of the people within said territory and to charge therefor reasonable compensation as municipal corporations, political sub-divisions of the Government of the State of North Carolina, with all the privileges and immunities existing in favor of municipalities operating within the boundaries herein mentioned.

Privileges and  
immunities.

Furnishing of  
current limited  
to Pitt County.

SEC. 4. Nothing in this act shall be construed to empower the furnishing, sale or transmission of electric current for the objects herein expressed unless such electric current shall be